

MAN-WITH-THE-COUGH DEAD.

Forger Stephen Broadwell Expired in Bellevue This Morning.

One of the Most Clever and Dangerous Counterfeiters Known.

Stephen C. Broadwell, alias Thomas Hunt, alias Harris, considered by the police of this and other cities to be one of the most dangerous and clever counterfeiters and forgers, died in the prison ward of Bellevue Hospital early this morning from a complication of diseases.

Broadwell was arrested in this city last month by Inspector McLaughlin's detectives, who had been searching for him more than a year. He was wanted at Cincinnati and Detroit, where he swindled several banks by raising checks.

On Monday, Feb. 20, detectives Kelly and Van Cotten found Broadwell in the house at 204 West Twenty-third street, where they gained admission by pretending to be health inspectors. He was indeed a hopeless invalid. He was kept in the house under guard until a couple of weeks ago, when he was removed to Bellevue Hospital.

The dead forger, who was sixty-two years old, first came to the notice of the police in 1920, when he was arrested in this city for circulating a lot of counterfeit notes on the Spanish Bank at Havana. The bills were so skillfully forged that the bank, for its own protection, had to withdraw the whole issue of that particular bank.

Not long after Broadwell tried to raise \$25,000 worth of counterfeit \$25 bills on the same bank. A Spanish merchant in this city, with whom he entered into negotiations to float the counterfeit money, betrayed him to the police. He was arrested and sent to prison for five years April 4, 1921. After serving his time he was released.

In the early part of last year Broadwell swindled the First National, Third National and Commercial National banks, raising out of nearly \$5,000 in "drafts" for small amounts. He also swindled the Third National and City National banks of Detroit out of \$3,300 by raising checks.

His work of "raising" checks was most cleverly done. He also forged the signatures of bank officials so cleverly that he had no trouble in cashing the "raised" checks.

Broadwell got to be known as the man with the cough, because he coughed all the time he was in the banks he visited. (A cough is said to be a sure sign of a forger.)

He was also known as the man with the eyes, because he was frequently seen staring at the people he was swindling.

Inspector McLaughlin said today that since Broadwell's arrest he learned that he had swindled the First National Bank of New York out of \$25,000, the Commercial National Bank of New York out of \$10,000, and the City National Bank of New York out of \$5,000.

E. A. Willett, cashier of the bank, came to this city a week or ten days ago and positively identified Broadwell as the swindler. The body of the dead forger will be buried by his daughters.

SAYS HIGGINS STUMBLED.

But Park Policemen Must Answer Charges of Fighting.

Capt. Collins, of the Central Park police, has preferred charges against Policemen Frank McMahon and Joseph Higgins, with the intention of having the Park Commissioners find out what he has so far been unable to.

Capt. Collins suspects that the two officers engaged in a rough-and-tumble fight in the park on the night of March 12, but the men deny it, and nobody can be found who will say that they saw the affair.

On the night mentioned Higgins and McMahon, it is alleged, arrested a man at about 5.30, with their uniforms torn and dirty and their faces scratched and bloody. Higgins was so severely injured that he was sent to the Presbyterian Hospital in an ambulance.

Two residents from the East Sixty-seventh street station are alleged to have seen the fight, but they denied all knowledge of the affair when called before Capt. Collins.

McMahon explained the matter by stating that Higgins stumbled over his foot, and that the latter received his cuts and bruises by falling on the ground.

It is hinted that there has been blood between the men for a long time because of a woman.

DAILY DONS WAR PAINT.

No Ultimatum for Owners of Croton Water Shed Nuisances.

Commissioner of Public Works Daily with a gang of men will start tomorrow for the Croton watershed to begin the abatement of nuisances there. The Commissioner will act under the authority vested in him by the Water Shed bill, which became a law a few days ago, and which makes it the duty of the city to remove nuisances from the watershed.

The Commissioner has absolute power in the matter. He is in fact, judge and jury of what constitutes a nuisance.

It is understood that some of the farmers in the watershed county who have been making it a practice of our water supply a nuisance for their own convenience may offer a resistance to the Commissioner.

Commissioner Daily said today if he meets with resistance he will call on the Sheriff for assistance, and will call on the Sheriff for assistance, and will call on the Sheriff for assistance.

"We must and will have pure water," said the Commissioner.

My son is that the matter will be fought in the courts, and an injunction applied for to restrain the Commissioner from proceeding.

Alleged Stealing by Wagon Load. John Mitchell, a driver aged twenty-four, of one sixth avenue, was held by Justice VanSledright in the District Court this morning, charged with the larceny of a wagonload of mattresses belonging to the furniture firm of John Healy & Co., of 214 West Fifth street, which he stole last night.

Fire on the Atlantic Pier. Two last night a fire occurred on the Atlantic Pier, near the foot of West Twenty-fifth street, which caused \$100 damage.

Court Officer Joseph Cadley Dead. Patrolman Joseph Cadley was assigned today as court officer of the Gates Avenue District Court, died at 4 o'clock this morning.

Plants Ahead in Brooklyn. Several plants and recreation company K. Forry, of 100 West 10th street, New York, has been awarded the contract to plant and maintain the plants in the park.

Arrested on Charge of Kidnapping. A man named Joseph J. Gannon, of 100 West 10th street, New York, was arrested on a charge of kidnapping a woman named Mary J. Gannon, of 100 West 10th street, New York.

FOR CONSPIRACY AND ARSON.

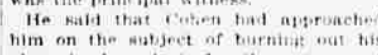
Schoenholz, Cohen and Solomon on Trial in Brooklyn.

Alleged that the Charge is the Outcome of a Loan.

The trial of Morris Schoenholz, Joseph Cohen and Charles Solomon on the charge of conspiracy to commit arson was continued before Judge Moore in the court of Session, Brooklyn, this morning.



MORRIS SCHOENHOLZ.



JOSEPH COHEN.

Henry D. Buglielisi, a sewing-machine agent, of 363 Broadway, Brooklyn, was the principal witness.

He said that Cohen had approached him on the subject of turning out his place in June last, for the purpose of getting the insurance. Cohen and two associates wanted \$100 each to do the job.

Buglielisi reported the matter to Fire Marshal Lewis, who had Cohen, Solomon and Schoenholz arrested.

Mrs. Cohen said that Solomon had loaned Buglielisi \$25, and that he had brought this charge simply to get square with Solomon, because he had dunned Buglielisi for the money.

Schoenholz was then put on the stand. He said that he had seen Fire Marshal Lewis before he was arrested.

Lewis said that Buglielisi had asked him to circulate a report about Louis Marks, and if he did he would be rewarded for so doing.

Solomon was the next witness. He said that Buglielisi had visited him at his home, and asked for a loan of \$25. Solomon let him have \$25. He said he had never seen Fire Marshal Lewis before he was arrested.

Lewis told me to say that a New York man, a lawyer, had come to me and put a match to it, and I would be free.

Lewis referred to Schoenholz as the man in New York.

He said that the reason why he in Buglielisi's store at the time of the fire was because Buglielisi had promised to pay him the \$25 he had borrowed. He had invited his friends to go with him. The case is still on.

FIREBUGS IN FALL RIVER.

After Three Attempts in One Night They Start a \$10,000 Blaze.

FALL RIVER, Mass., March 22.—During the night three attempts were made to start fires in this city, and at 1.20 o'clock a massive fire broke out, which succeeded in causing one blaze that cost a loss of about \$10,000.

The first fire was started on the outside of Jewell's boat-house off Doyl street, where several pretentious yachts were under construction. Little damage was done.

After 10 o'clock a patrolman discovered a fire at the northwest corner of Skinner's lumber yard on Doyl street. Cotton soaked with kerosene had been placed beneath a pile of timber. The blaze was well under way when he was first notified.

The third fire was started in a boat-house owned by George W. Doyl, on Doyl street, not a hundred yards from the first fire. This was discovered by a patrolman of the end of the railroad, who was sitting in his cabin, and hearing him after he had dropped from his hand.

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Isaacson Did So, but Mrs. Gottlieb Gave Chase.

He Was to Have Married Her Daughter but Didn't.

Mrs. Betty Gottlieb, of 104 Walton street, Williamsburg, was before Justice Gottling in the Lee Avenue Court, today, on a charge of making threats to kill Morris Isaacson, an insurance broker, of 412 Walton street. Mrs. Gottlieb was accompanied by her pretty sixteen-year-old daughter, Rebecca, the cause of all the trouble.

Two months ago Isaacson was engaged to Miss Gottlieb, but at the last moment, when the wedding supper was provided, the insurance broker failed to come to time.

Since then, as Isaacson says, his mother-in-law, who was to be his bride, told him to run, and he did so.

Mrs. Gottlieb's husband is an old man, he said, and has just gone into the insurance business. I was standing outside my shop, giving him pointers, when along came Mrs. Gottlieb with a gun.

Her husband told me to run, and I went into my house, but she followed me and threatened to kill me.

My sister and her sick baby live with me, and I am in a house, so I decided to run. I told her I might have killed her, but she said she would not let me.

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ARMED INDIANS AT LARGE.

Band of Apaches Leave Their Reservation in Arizona.

PHOENIX, Ariz., March 22.—A report reached Phoenix last evening that a band of Apaches, heavily armed, are eighty miles from the reservation and but thirty miles from Phoenix on Lake Creek.

Eight were seen in a settlement and were very noisy. They entered houses and demanded provisions, taking everything.

Fifteen armed men went to the rescue. The Indians said that they had been killed and were going to the Colorado River.

The Indians were well armed, and the current carrying rocks and ear ridge rocks. They were well armed.

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Plain all-silk Armure, 75c., 85c. to \$1.50 yard.

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Figured and striped all-silk Gauzes, \$1.75 to \$2.50 yard.

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\$85,000 FIRE IN ELIZABETH.

ELIZABETH, N. J., March 22.—A big fire broke out in the lower part of a big street this morning, which destroyed the machine and blacksmith shops of Moore Brothers, together with five dwellings and most of their contents.

Several families escaped in their night clothes.

The flames spread so rapidly that at one time it was feared the entire portion of Pine street, between Pine street and the water front, would be swept away.

The fire was not under control until about 2 o'clock.

Moore Brothers' loss is estimated at \$50,000, and the total losses of the other parties are about \$20,000.

The Moore Brothers were fully insured, the others only partially covered.

The fire started in one of the dwellings owned by Poles, and it is thought it was the work of an incendiary.

HYATT'S PECULIAR CHECKS.

He Says They Were Regular, Although Generally Protested.

Baldwin F. Hyatt, who claims to be the founder of the Peekskill Military Academy, and also of the military schools at Cornwall-on-the-Hudson and Boston, L. I., was remanded in Jefferson Market Police Court this morning on a charge of issuing bogus checks on the Westchester County National Bank, at Peekskill, N. Y.

Hyatt is a fine-looking man, with a full beard, well-dressed and wears a suit hat. For several months he has been living in a furnished room at 22 West Twenty-third street, and has spent his time in inducing merchants to cash his checks.

Saturday he visited the art store of Elphinstone & Mainwaring, at 4 East Fourth street, and bought a picture for \$4. In payment he presented a check for \$10, signed "Baldwin F. Hyatt, Jr." and received in return \$4.

The check was protested, and yesterday, on a complaint of the picture firm, Hyatt was arrested at the Westchester County station, arrested Hyatt in his room.

When searched, a number of protested checks were found in his possession.

Among them were the following: \$100, \$50, \$25, \$10, \$5, \$2, \$1, \$50, \$25, \$10, \$5, \$2, \$1, \$50, \$25, \$10, \$5, \$2, \$1.

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